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Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 3495.0010-24

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Marc ALIZON et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1634  
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Application Ser. No.: 08/475,822 ) Examiner: Jeffrey Norman Fredman  
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Filed: June 7, 1995 )  
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For: CLONED DNA SEQUENCES RELATED TO THE GENOMIC RNA OF  
LYMPHADENOPATHY-ASSOCIATED VIRUS (LAV) AND PROTEINS  
ENCODED BY SAID LAV GENOMIC RNA

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Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Applicants submit the following papers in the above-identified application. The items checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time (1 page) and \$950.00 extension fee are enclosed.
- ☒ A Request for Examination After Final Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (2 pages) and the requisite \$770.00 fee are enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$1,720.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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**REQUEST FOR EXAMINATION AFTER FINAL  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a)**

Applicants hereby request the above-identified application be examined according to the procedures set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a). This application meets the criteria set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) since it has an actual filing date of June 7, 1995, and an effective filing date of August 30, 1985, and it is accompanied by a fee of \$770.00 as required by § 1.17(r).

Applicants hereby request that the Response to Paper No. 32, filed August 1, 2003 (with Exhibits 1-5), be entered and considered by the Examiner.

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